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SUBJECT: YOUNG DEMOCRATS-FDJ EXCHANGE AGREEMENT

1. WEST GERMANY'S YOUNG DEMOCRATS (JUDOS) AND EAST GERMANY'S FDJ SIGNED AN AGREEMENT DECEMBER 1 PROVIDING FOR A REGULAR EXCHANGE OF DELEGATIONS AND INFORMATION. A JUDO DELEGATION IS TO VISIT THE GDR AT THE BEGINNING OF 1975 AND AN FDJ DELEGATION S SCHEDULED TO VISIT THE FRG IN THE SECOND HALF OF 1975. THE AGREEMENT WAS SIGNED DURING THE VISIT OF A FOUR-MEMBER FDJ DELEGATION IN THE FRG FROM NOVEMBER 29-DECEMBER 4.

2. THE JUDO-FDJ COMMUNIQUE ALSO INCLUDES A LENGTHY PORTION CONCERNING INTERNATIONAL POLITICS. AMONG THE POINTS AGREED ON BY THE TWO GROUPS WERE "THE FASTEST POSSIBLE CONCLUSION OF THE THIRD STAGE OF CSCE AT THE HIGHEST LEVEL, A SUCCESSFUL CONCLUSION OF MBFR NEGOTIA-  
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TIONS, CONDEMNATION OF THE "FASCIST MILITARY JUNTA IN

CHILE", STRICT OBSERVANCE OF THE VIETNAM AGREEMENTS, AND "SOLIDARITY WITH THE LIBERATION MOVEMENTS IN ASIA, AFRICA AND LATIN AMERICA". BOTH GROUPS WELCOMED THE "DEFEAT OF FASCISM IN PORTUGAL" AND PLEDGED ALSO TO OPPOSE "FASCIST AND REVANCHIST TENDENCIES IN GERMANY." COPIES OF THE COMMUNIQUE ARE BEING POUCHED TO THE DEPARTMENT, AMEMBASSY BERLIN AND USMUSSION BERLIN.

3. THE JUDOS, WHICH IS THE MOST LEFTIST OF THE FRG'S POLITICAL YOUTH GROUPS, IS THE FIRST FRG YOUTH GROUP TO REACH AN AGREEMENT WITH THE FDJ. THE YOUNG SOCIALISTS WERE EXPECTED TO SIGN SUCH AN AGREEMENT IN NOVEMBER 1973, BUT AT THE LAST MINUTE THEY CANCELLED THEIR INVITATION TO THE FDJ ON LEARNING THAT THE FDJ HAD ENTERED DISCUSSIONS WITH THE MSB SPARTAKUS AND THE SOZIALISTISCHE DEUTSCHE ARBEITERJUGEND.  
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